

JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE.

Monday, April 3, 2006.

Met according to adjournment, at eleven o'clock A.M., in an Informal Session, with Mr. Petrolati of Ludlow in the Chair (having been appointed by the Speaker, under authority conferred by Rule 5, to perform the duties of the Chair).

Prayer was offered by the Reverend Robert F. Quinn, C.S.P., Chaplain of the House, as follows:

Eternal God, in Whom we place our hope and trust, we believe that Your assistance enables us each day to serve You, constituents and the Commonwealth conscientiously and honorably. In our diverse communities with a diversity of needs, grant us the patience to listen to and have dialogue with people in our effort to resolve current local, state-wide and national issues. May our personal and legislative goals be to seek truth and to promote the common good. Let our legislative and policy decisions and our disagreements be thoughtful, respectful and rational, so that our communities will be stable, peaceful and responsive.

Prayer.

Grant Your blessings to the Speaker, to the members and employees of this House and their families. Amen.

At the request of the Chair (Mr. Petrolati), the members, guests and employees joined with him in reciting the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Pledge of
allegiance.

Appointments to the Committee on Rules.

The Speaker announced that Representatives Rogers of Norwood, Tobin of Quincy and Rushing of Boston had been appointed to the committee on Rules to fill the existing vacancies.

Committee
appointments.

Resolutions.

The following resolutions (filed with the Clerk) were referred, under Rule 85, to the committee on Rules:

Resolutions (filed by Mrs. Haddad of Somerset and other members of the House) recognizing The Week of the Young Child 2006; and

Week of
Young Child.

Resolutions (filed by Messrs. Rush of Boston and Vallee of Franklin) congratulating Reverend Brian J. Shanley, O.P. upon his inauguration as the twelfth president of Providence College;

Brian J.
Shanley, O.P.

Mrs. Parente of Milford, for the committee on Rules, reported, in each instance, that the resolutions ought to be adopted. Under suspension of the rules, in each instance, on motion of Mr. Rushing of Boston, the resolutions (reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn) were considered forthwith; and they were adopted.

Papers from the Senate.

The House Order relative to extending until Wednesday, March 29, 2006, the time within which the committee on Tourism, Arts and

Tourism, Arts
and Cultural
Development,

time for
reporting.

Cultural Development is authorized to report on current Senate document numbered 1851, came from the Senate with the endorsement that it had been adopted, in concurrence, by said branch, with an amendment striking out the date "Wednesday, March 29, 2006" and inserting in place thereof the date "Thursday, April 6, 2006".

Under suspension of the Rule 35, on motion of Mr. Rushing of Boston, the amendment was considered forthwith; and it was adopted, in concurrence.

Sandwich,
health
insurance.

A Bill restricting health insurance coverage for paid elected officials in the town of Sandwich (Senate, No. 2300) (on a petition) [Local Approval Received], passed to be engrossed by the Senate, was read; and it was referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Public
schools,
food
programs.

A report of the committee on Health Care Financing, asking to be discharged from further consideration of the petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 107) of Richard T. Moore, William Smitty Pignatelli, Paul J. Donato, Scott P. Brown and other members of the General Court for legislation to promote healthy alternatives in public school food programs, and recommending that the same be referred to the committee on Health Care Financing,— accepted by the Senate, was considered forthwith, under Rule 42; and it was accepted, in concurrence.

Petitions were referred, in concurrence, under suspension of Joint Rule 12, as follows:

Acton
and
Concord,
land.

Petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2473) of Susan C. Fargo, Pamela P. Resor and James B. Eldridge for legislation to designate certain land in the towns of Acton and Concord as conservation, agriculture, open space and passive recreational purposes. To the committee on Bonding, Capital Expenditures and State Assets.

Skiing,
helmets.

Petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2474) of Stephen M. Brewer for legislation to require the mandatory use of ski helmets on any school outing that involves skiing or snow boarding. To the committee on Education.

Carbon
dioxide
emissions.

Petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2475) of Pamela P. Resor, Frank I. Smizik, Lida E. Harkins, Susan C. Tucker and other members of the General Court for legislation to reduce carbon dioxide emissions through participation in the regional greenhouse gas initiative. To the committee on Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

Scholarship
information.

Petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2476) of Robert A. Antonioni for legislation relative to scholarship information. To the committee on Higher Education.

Social
services,
zoning
guide.

Petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2477) of Harriette L. Chandler, Karen E. Spilka and Edward M. Augustus, Jr. for legislation to require a state zoning guide for social service agencies and municipalities. To the committee on Municipalities and Regional Government.

Plymouth,
nuclear fuel.

Petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2478) of Therese Murray, Viriato Manuel deMacedo and Thomas J. O'Brien for legis-

lation to impose a special assessment for the storage of spent nuclear fuel in Plymouth. To the committee on Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy.

Petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2479) of Scott P. Brown and Alice Hanlon Peisch for legislation to designate a certain bridge in the town of Wellesley as State Senator David H. Locke Bridge; and

David H.
Locke
Bridge.

Petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2480) of Richard T. Moore and Jennifer M. Callahan for legislation to designate the bridge on Route 16 over the Mumford River in Uxbridge as the Olympic Medalist Alice Bridges Bridge;

Alice
Bridges
Bridge.

Severally to the committee on Transportation.

Reports of Committees.

Mrs. Walrath of Stow, for the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two branches, with reference to the Senate amendments (striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in place thereof the text contained in Senate document numbered 2282; and striking out the title and inserting in place thereof the following title: "An Act providing for health access, affordability and accountability."), reports recommending that the House recede from its non-concurrence with the Senate in its amendments and concur therein with further amendments by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in place thereof the text contained in House document numbered 4850; and by striking out the title and inserting in place thereof the following title: "An Act providing access to affordable, quality, accountable health care."; and that the Senate concur therein.

Health
care
access.

The report (having been approved by the committees on Bills in the Third Reading, acting jointly) was placed in the Orders of the Day for the next sitting, the question being on acceptance.

By Mr. Scaccia of Boston, for the committee on Rules and the committees on Rules of the two branches, acting concurrently, that Joint Rule 12 be suspended on the following petitions:

Petition (accompanied by bill) of Frank M. Hynes for an investigation and study by the Division of Marine Fisheries relative to the impact of lost or abandoned fishing gear found on the shores of the Commonwealth. To the committee on Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

Abandoned
fishing
gear.

Petition (accompanied by bill) of Peter J. Koutoujian and Susan C. Fargo relative to the payment of benefits for services provided by registered physician assistants. To the committee on Financial Services.

Physician
assistants.

Petition (accompanied by bill) of David B. Sullivan that the Department of the Trial Court be authorized to establish a sick leave bank for Michael Abdow, an employee of the District Court of Fall River. To the committee on the Judiciary.

Michael
Abdow,
sick leave
bank.

Petition (accompanied by bill) of Emile J. Goguen and others for legislation to regulate antibody or antigen testing for human T-cell lymphotropic virus type III (HTLV-III test). To the committee on Public Health.

HTLV-III,
testing.

Debra A. Flagg, sick leave bank.

Blind veterans, property tax.

Gold Star Family plates.

Petition (accompanied by bill) of Virginia M. Coppola and James E. Timilty for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Debra A. Flagg, an employee of the Department of Mental Retardation. To the committee on Public Service.

Petition (accompanied by bill) of Garrett J. Bradley relative to property tax exemptions in cities and towns for blind veterans awarded the Purple Heart. To the committee on Revenue.

Petition (accompanied by bill) of Peter J. Koutoujian and others that the Registrar of Motor Vehicles be authorized to issue "Gold Star Family" distinctive registration plates without charge to siblings of certain military personnel. To the committee on Transportation.

Under suspension of the rules, on motion of Mr. Flynn of Bridgewater, the reports were considered forthwith. Joint Rule 12 then was suspended, in each instance. Severally sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Non-profit corporations.

Mr. Scaccia of Boston, for the committee on Rules, on the Order relative to authorizing the committee on State Administration and Regulatory Oversight to make an investigation and study of certain Senate and House documents concerning non-profit organizations, legislative agents, paperwork reduction and government efficiency issues (House, No. 4678) reported, in part, asking to be discharged from further consideration of the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3514) of William Francis Galvin and Angelo M. Scaccia for legislation to require non-profit corporations to list real estate transactions or ownership on annual reports,— and recommending that the same be recommitted to the committee on State Administration and Regulatory Oversight. Under Rule 42, the report was considered forthwith; and it was accepted.

Public employees, study.

Mr. Scaccia of Boston, for the committee on Rules, on the Order relative to authorizing the committee on Public Service to make an investigation and study of certain Senate and House documents concerning active and retired public employees (House, No. 4723) reported, in part, asking to be discharged from further consideration

Police officers, retirement.

Of the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 308) of Louis L. Kafka relative to providing creditable service for retirement purposes to police officers for service rendered outside of the Commonwealth; and

Public employees, retirement beneficiaries.

Of the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 549) of Alice K. Wolf and others relative to the nomination of beneficiaries of certain retired public employees;

And recommending that the same severally be recommitted to the committee on Public Service.

Under Rule 42, the reports severally were considered forthwith; and they were accepted.

Division of Industrial Accidents.

Mr. Scaccia of Boston, for the committee on Rules, on the Order relative to authorizing the committee on State Administration and Regulatory Oversight to make an investigation and study of certain Senate and House documents concerning administrative rulemaking, public records, electronic government services and state finance

issues (House, No. 4744) reported, in part, asking to be discharged from further consideration of the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3480) of Eugene L. O'Flaherty for legislation to include in the definition of "public records" the first reports of injuries made to the Division of Industrial Accidents with names and addresses of employees,— and recommending that the same be recommitted to the committee on State Administration and Regulatory Oversight. Under Rule 42, the report was considered forthwith; and it was accepted.

Mr. Scaccia of Boston, for the committee on Rules, on the Order relative to authorizing the committee on Bonding, Capital Expenditures and State Assets to make an investigation and study of certain House documents concerning parks and recreation land, surplus land and easements and other related matters (House, No. 4770) reported, in part, asking to be discharged from further consideration of the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4500) of Brian S. Dempsey and others relative to authorizing the Division of Capital Asset Management and Maintenance to convey certain land known as Outer Brewster Island,— and recommending that the same be referred to the committee on Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy. Under Rule 42, the report was considered forthwith; and it was accepted. Sent to the Senate for concurrence in the reference.

Outer Brewster Island.

By Mrs. Walrath of Stow, for the committee on Health Care Financing, asking to be discharged from further consideration of the Order relative to authorizing the committee on Public Health to make an investigation and study of a certain House document relative to speech-language pathologists (House, No. 4264),— and recommending that the same be referred to the House committee on Rules. Under Rule 42, the report was considered forthwith; and it was accepted. Sent to the Senate for concurrence in the discharge of the committee.

Speech pathologists, study.

By Mrs. Walrath of Stow, for the committee on Health Care Financing, asking to be discharged from further consideration

Of the Bill relative to regional medical panel fees for disability pension review (House, No. 14);

Of the Bill relative to discharge from the Massachusetts Hospital School (House, No. 2825);

Of the Bill to establish an office of youth development (House, No. 2826);

Of the Bill relative to medical screening and evaluation within the foster care system (House, No. 2836);

Of the Bill clarifying the definition of home health and homemaker agencies (House, No. 2840);

Of the Bill to amend the Commonwealth's drug treatment program, to allow for the diversion of low-level offenders under court supervision (House, No. 3556, changed);

Of the Bill authorizing the Sheriff's Department of Plymouth County to operate a C-Med system (House, No. 3579); and

Disability pensions.

Hospital Schools.

Youth development.

Foster care.

Homemaker agencies.

Drug offenders.

Plymouth County, C-med

system.
School
districts,
advisory
committees.

Of the Bill relative to requiring school districts to convene child nutrition and physical activity advisory committees (House, No. 4636); And recommending that the same severally be referred to the House committee on Ways and Means.

Under Rule 42, the reports severally were considered forthwith; and they were accepted. Severally sent to the Senate for concurrence in the discharge of the committee.

School
building
assistance,
study.

By Mrs. Haddad of Somerset, for the committee on Education, on House, Nos. 1002, 1003, 1052, 1061, 1095, 1106, 1107, 1139, 1150, 1161, 1180 and 1210, an Order relative to authorizing the committee on Education to make an investigation and study of certain House documents concerning school building assistance (House, No. 4821).

MCAS.

By the same member, for the same committee, on House, Nos. 1005, 1010, 1018, 1032, 1049, 1077, 1091, 1092, 1147, 1188, 1194, 1203, 1211, 1216 and 1220, an Order relative to authorizing the committee on Education to make an investigation and study of certain House documents concerning the Massachusetts Comprehensive Assessment System (House, No. 4822).

School
finances,
study.

By the same member, for the same committee, on House, Nos. 1013, 1140, 1142 and 1154, an Order relative to authorizing the committee on Education to make an investigation and study of certain House documents concerning school finances (House, No. 4823).

School
curriculum

By the same member, for the same committee, on House, Nos. 1014, 1162, 1185, 1200 and 1205, an Order relative to authorizing the committee on Education to make an investigation and study of certain House documents concerning school curriculum (House, No. 4824).

Board of
Education,
study.

By the same member, for the same committee, on House, Nos. 1028, 1034, 1038, 1093, 1167, 1184, 1191, 1213 and 3878, an Order relative to authorizing the committee on Education to make an investigation and study of certain House documents concerning parents and the Board of Education (House, No. 4825).

Severally referred, under Joint Rule 29, to the committees on Rules of the two branches, acting concurrently.

Subsequently Mr. Scaccia of Boston, for said committees, reported, in each instance, asking to be discharged from further consideration of said orders; and recommending that the same severally be referred to the House committee on Rules.

Under Rule 42, the reports severally were considered forthwith; and they were accepted.

Junior
operator's
licenses.

By Mr. Wagner of Chicopee, for the committee on Transportation, on House, No. 1996, a Bill further regulating driver education and junior operator's licenses (House, No. 4826). Read; and referred, under Rule 33, to the committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Donato of Medford, for the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling, that the following matters be scheduled for consideration by the House:

Senate bills

Authorizing municipalities to petition for public involvement plans in cases of hazardous material sites (Senate, No. 518); and

Hazardous
material.

Regulating the speed of school buses on limited access highways (Senate, No. 1918); and

School
buses.

House bills

Pertaining to the rights of fire fighters and police officers (House, No. 487);

Police and
firefighters.

Relative to the filling of a vacancy on the Amherst Select Board (printed in House, No. 1000, changed);

Amherst.

To strengthen neighborhood business districts (House, No. 1467); Extending the period that unsubstantiated elder abuse assessment reports must be maintained (House, No. 1490);

Business.
Elder
abuse.

To require the use of lights on motor vehicles during any period in which windshield wipers are also in use (House, No. 2084);

Windshield
wipers.

Relative to the districts of the city of Chelsea (House, No. 2120) [Local Approval Received];

Chelsea.

Requiring hospitals to offer care to self payers (House, No. 2752);

Hospitals.

To ensure affordable premiums in the children's medical security plan (House, No. 2788);

Children's
security.

Providing for recall elections in the town of Littleton (House, No. 4072) [Local Approval Received];

Littleton.

Relative to abatements in the city of Gloucester for fiscal year 2005 (House, No. 4125) [Local Approval Received];

Gloucester.

Relative to the sale of certain properties by the city of Gloucester (House, No. 4202) [Local Approval Received];

Gloucester.

Authorizing the town of Topsfield to establish a department of public works (House, No. 4223) [Local Approval Received];

Topsfield.

Relative to the civil service status of executive positions in the city of Worcester (House, No. 4348) [Local Approval Received];

Worcester.

Authorizing the city of New Bedford to regulate motorized bicycles and motorized scooters (House, No. 4354) [Local Approval Received];

New Bedford.

Providing for an improved method of recall of elected officials in the town of Canton (House, No. 4387) [Local Approval Received];

Canton.

Providing for a statement relative to veteran status on ballots for city of Brockton elections (House, No. 4388) [Local Approval Received];

Brockton.

Relative to certain members of the Cambridge retirement system (House, No. 4460) [Local Approval Received];

Cambridge.

Exempting the position of deputy chief of the fire department of the city of Easthampton from the provisions of the civil service law (House, No. 4537) [Local Approval Received];

Easthampton.

Validating the actions taken at a certain town meeting in the town of Wareham (printed in House, No. 4538);

Wareham.

Relative to preliminary elections in the city of Holyoke (House, No. 4579) [Local Approval Received];

Holyoke.

Relative to the Wayland wastewater management district commission (House, No. 4631) [Local Approval Received];

Wayland.

Relative to recall of elected officials in the town of Framingham (House, No. 4694) [Local Approval Received];

Framingham.

To ensure that students with disabilities have the opportunity to participate in high school graduation ceremonies with their non-disabled peers (House, No. 4710); and

Disabled
students.

Needham. Authorizing the town of Needham to construct and maintain a common sewer through land acquired for conservation purposes (House, No. 4767) [Local Approval Received];

Severally placed in the Orders of the Day for the next sitting for a second reading.

Voting, information. By Mr. Petrucci of Boston, for the committee on Election Laws, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 46) of Martin J. Walsh and others that voters be required to provide their dates of birth at polling places.

Voter education commission. By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by resolve, House, No. 47) of Jay R. Kaufman and Ruth B. Balser relative to establishing a special commission (including members of the General Court) to make an investigation and study concerning methods to encourage debating by candidates for public office.

Voting task force, online. By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 49) of Anthony J. Verga and others for the establishment of a task force (including members of the General Court) to investigate the methods of conducting state elections via the Internet.

Instant runoff voting method. By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 53) of Jay R. Kaufman and others relative to the instant runoff voting method.

ii By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 54) of Jay R. Kaufman and others relative to voting by the instant runoff voting method in primaries.

Absentee voting. By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 57) of Byron Rushing and others relative to facilitating absentee voting in the Commonwealth.

Voter participation. By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 58) of Richard T. Moore and others for legislation to increase voter participation through studying the feasibility of alternative or replacement voting methods for elective offices in the Commonwealth.

Lieutenant-Governor, primary election. By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 60) of Scott P. Brown and John F. Quinn for legislation to require primary candidates for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor to be nominated in groups.

County elections. By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 63) of William M. Straus relative to elections to fill vacancies in certain county positions.

Specially qualified voters. By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 64) of William Francis Galvin and William M. Straus relative to specially qualified voters.

By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 65) of William Francis Galvin and William M. Straus relative to voter registration for program participants. Voter registration program.

By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 66) of Ellen Story and others for legislation to provide for an “instant runoff voting” system for the ranking of candidates by preference in elections for Constitutional officers of the Commonwealth. Instant runoff voting method.

By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 67) of Ellen Story and others that the Secretary of the Commonwealth be required to promulgate regulations for the implementation of an “instant runoff voting” system providing for preferential voting for Constitutional officers. ii

By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 68) of Ellen Story and others for legislation to provide for pre-registration of voters upon turning seventeen years of age. Voters, pre-registration.

By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 71) of Gloria L. Fox and others for legislation to establish a statewide voter registration database, voter education, and to expand the authority of local election district review commissions. Voter registration database.

By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 73) of James B. Eldridge and others relative to campaign expenses of certain candidates. Campaigns.

By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 74) of Louis L. Kafka relative to absentee voting. Absentee voting.

By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 75) of Paul C. Casey for legislation to further regulate the activities at polling places during elections. Polling places, election.

By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 79) of Alice K. Wolf and others that the Secretary of the Commonwealth be directed to promulgate regulations for the implementation of an “instant runoff voting” method of preference for candidates for Representative to the United States Congress. Congressional elections.

By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 80) of Alice K. Wolf and others for legislation to enable cities and towns to extend voting rights in municipal elections to certain non-citizens of the Commonwealth. Non-citizens, voting rights.

By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 82) of Jeffrey Davis Perry relative to the formation of regional town committees in areas where organization of individual town committees are unorganized upon written request of the state committees of political parties. Political committees.

Campaign finance reporting.	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 84) of James H. Fagan relative to establishing an electronic system for the submission, retrieval, storage and public disclosure of campaign finance reports.	
Absentee ballots.	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 93) of Alice Hanlon Peisch and others relative to absentee ballots.	
Disabled, voting conditions.	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 94) of Peter J. Koutoujian and Steven A. Tolman for legislation to ensure privacy and independence for blind and visually impaired voters.	
Campaign contributions.	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 98) of Bradley H. Jones, Jr., and others for legislation to prohibit campaign contributions by political action committees.	
Absentee ballots.	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 99) of Bradley H. Jones, Jr., and others relative to the distribution of absentee balloting materials by the Secretary of the Commonwealth.	
Candidates, electronic filing.	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 101) of Bradley H. Jones, Jr., and others relative to electronic filing for non-depository candidates.	
Campaign finance reports.	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 102) of Bradley H. Jones, Jr., and others relative to campaign finance reports.	
Campaign finance reform.	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 103) of Bradley H. Jones, Jr., and others relative to contributions to candidates under the campaign finance law.	
Campaign contributions, limit.	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 104) of Bradley H. Jones, Jr., and others relative to contributions to political committees by certain non-profit or charitable organizations.	
Initiative petitions.	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 106) of Peter J. Larkin and others for legislation to further regulate the initiative petition process in the Commonwealth.	
RI	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 108) of Peter J. Larkin and others for legislation to require that circulators of initiative or referendum petitions meet the state requirements for voter registration.	
Candidates, free air time.	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 109) of Peter J. Larkin and others relative to political campaign broadcasting on radio and television stations and regulating certain campaign expenditures.	
Ballot questions, out-of-state solicitation.	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 110) of Peter J. Larkin and others for legislation to regulate out-of-state contributions to ballot question committees.	
	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 111) of Colleen M. Garry for legislation to further regulate conduct at polling places.	Polling places, conduct.
	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 115) of Frank M. Hynes and Robert L. Hedlund for legislation to regulate voting in local elections by property owners with a principal residence in a different municipality.	Local elections, voting.
	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 117) of Frank M. Hynes for legislation to limit campaign expenditures.	Limiting campaign expenditures.
	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 118) of Douglas W. Petersen and others for legislation to establish spending limits on all state political campaigns.	Campaigns, spending limits.
	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 119) of David Hudson relative to further regulating nomination papers and initiative petition signature papers.	Fair ballot initiative.
	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by resolve, House, No. 120) of Emile J. Goguen for an investigation by a special commission (including members of the General Court) relative to Internet voting and other possible technologies in the Commonwealth.	Internet voting, study.
	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 122) of Emile J. Goguen for legislation to reform the election recount law with a particular emphasis on the standards for judicial review.	Election Laws, recounts.
	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 123) of Frank M. Hynes relative to polling places used for general elections.	Polling places.
	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 124) of Matthew C. Patrick and Robert K. Coughlin relative to further regulating campaign contributions.	Campaign contributions.
	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 125) of Eric Reid (filed by request) for legislation to permit certain questions on presidential primary ballots.	Presidential primary ballots.
	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 127) of Byron Rushing and others relative to the facilitation of voting in the Commonwealth.	Election laws, study.
	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 133) of Cory Atkins and Patricia D. Jehlen relative to software used in voting machines for elections.	Voting machines, software.
	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 135) of James B. Eldridge and others for legislation to increase voter participation.	Voter participation.
	By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3883) of	Cities, referendum

petitions.

Cheryl A. Rivera relative to initiative and referendum petitions in cities.

Community
Preservation
Act.

By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4071) of Bradley H. Jones, Jr., and others that cities and towns be authorized to place before the voters a question on re-acceptance of the community preservation law.

Voters,
street
listings.

By the same member, for the same committee, ought NOT to pass, on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4335) of Emile J. Goguen relative to the annual street listing of voters in the Commonwealth.

Severally referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Mr. Donato of Medford, for said committee, reported that the matters be scheduled for consideration by the House; and, under said rule, they were placed in the Orders of the Day for the next sitting, the question, in each instance, being on acceptance.

Engrossed Bills.

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Bills
enacted.

Regulating access to student records (see Senate, No. 2206, amended) (which originated in the Senate); and

Releasing certain land in the city of Northampton from the operation of an agricultural preservation restriction (see House, No. 1270) (which originated in the House);

Severally having been certified by the Clerk to be rightly and truly prepared for final passage, were passed to be enacted; and they were signed by the acting Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Recess.

Recess.

At twenty minutes after eleven o'clock A.M., on motion of Mr. Rushing of Boston (Mr. Petrolati of Ludlow being in the Chair), the House recessed until the hour of one o'clock P.M.; and at that time the House was called to order with Mr. Petrolati in the Chair.

Reports of Committees.

Scituate and
Marshfield,
Sgt. Kelley
Bridge.

By Mr. Wagner of Chicopee, for the committee on Transportation, on a petition, a Bill designating a certain bridge in the towns of Scituate and Marshfield as the Sergeant Michael Jason Kelley Memorial Bridge (House, No. 4742). Read; and referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Mr. Donato of Medford, for said committee, reported that the matter be scheduled for consideration by the House.

Under suspension of the rules, on motion of Mr. Donato, the bill was read a second time forthwith; and it was ordered to a third reading.

Recess.

Recess.

At six minutes after one o'clock P.M., on motion of Mr. Donato of Medford (Mr. Petrolati of Ludlow being in the Chair), the House

recessed until half past two o'clock; and at seventeen minutes before three o'clock the House was called to order with Mr. Tobin of Quincy in the Chair.

Order.

On motion of Mr. DiMasi of Boston,—

Ordered, That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet tomorrow at eleven o'clock A.M.

Next
sitting.

At sixteen minutes before three o'clock P.M., on motion of Mr. Peterson of Grafton (Mr. Tobin of Quincy being in the Chair), the House adjourned to meet tomorrow at eleven o'clock A.M.